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The banks of Petersburg will pay out a large amount in dividends the

and real centimes good cheer were enjoyed.

Those riding were Messrs, Branch and Fred Cmapbell, of Richmord, Charles W. nulfish, Miss Berta Garth, William H. Balz and Lewis Garth.

Rockingbam Rallway Company.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ROCKINGHAM, N. C., December 30.

Child Perhaps Fatally Burned.

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[Special to The Times Dispatch.]

BURLINGTON, N. C., December 30.—

The three-year-old child of Mr. and
Mrs. James Horn was perhaps fatally
burned at its home, in North Burlington, to-day. While the mother
was absent from the room the child
went too near the fire, and its clothline became ignited, and before the

ing became ignited, and before the mother arrived one-third of the child's

body was charred. The child is still living, but slight hope for recovery is entertained.

Bergthold-Kinzer.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NEWEERN, N. C. December 30.—Announcements have been received here
of the marriage at Hickory of John
Westey Bergthold and Miss Incz Kinzer. Miss Kinzer ived here for a
time with her brother, J. D. Kinzer,
and has many friends in the city.

Kills Deer With Hoe.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch]

WASHINGTON, N. C. December 30.—

Harmon Hill, of Chocowinity, killed a deer on his farm with a grubbling hoc. The deer land been run by some hounds, and in attempting to vault the fonce had caught its feet in the wire fence. Mr. Hill had no weapon with him when he came upon the deer, but he got buy with the hoc and gathered in a nice supply of venison.

Site Is Accepted.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 36,Scoretary Nagel, of the Departmen
of Commerce and Labor, has accepte
the site at Algiers offered by the cit
of New Orleans to the national gov
ernment for an immigrant statior
Congress appropriated \$250,000 for th
work, which will be started as so
as the necessary formalities are com
piled with.

peting line is desired.

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Number Not as Large as Was Expected in Petersburg.

SEVERAL DEATHS REPORTED

Norfolk and Western Announces Two Promotions of Employes.

Times-Dispatch Bureau, 199 North Sycamore Street, Petersburg, Va., December 30. Petersburg, Va. December 30.

City Treasurer W. E. Ramey furnishes a list of persons who have paid their poil tax and qualified themserves to vote in the elections of the ensuing year, including the Democratic primary for the nomination of a candidate for Congress in January, the special election for Congress in March, and the regular municipal election in May. The list of qualified voters is not ag large as had been expected, in view of these important elections, totalling only 1,618 whites and 33 negroes, ag follows:

Wards. Whites. Colored. First 202 18
Second 289 14
Third 507 19
Pourth 533 6
Fifth 533 18
Sixth 111 18

will be chosen.

In the prohibition election of last year nearly 1,300 voics were cast, the negroes polling about 300 of these.

Death of Mrs. Shepherd.

Mrs. Florence Jones Shepherd, widow of Chester Shepherd, died at her residence, on Marshall Street, last night at 12 o'clock, of pneumonia, after an illness of five days. She was a member of a widely known and highly esteemed family, was a woman of gentle and lovable character, and her death is sincerely mourned in the community. She is survived by two sons—Irving Jones and George Benjamin Shepherd; her mother, Mrs. George B. Jones; her aunt, Miss L. V. Major; two sisters, Miss Bettle Jones and Mrs. Charles D. Witherspoon, all of Petersburg, and three brothers—George F. and Eugene Jones, of Richmond, and E. Bradley Jones, of

brake, died yesterday at her home in Ettrick, after an illness of two weeks. She was seventy-three years old and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Sal-lie Wood and Mrs. J. W. Sadler, of Manchester.

Manchester.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Perdue, wife of Benjamin J. Perdue, Sr., died yesterday at her home in Dinwiddle county, hear Ferndale Park. She was sixty-two years old and highly esteemed. She leaves her husband three sons and three daughters.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

the parsonage of Rev. J. E. Daniel, Miss Virginia Maude Pritchett and Grover Cleveland Rokiett, both of Chesterfield county, were united in marriage.

Rev. J. S. Foster, D. D., who has accepted a call to the First Presbyterian Church in Birmingham, Ala., will preached his final sermingiam, Ala, will preached his final sermon in Tabb Street Presbyterian Church Sunday night. A. P. Hill Camp of Confederate Veterans will attend the service in a body.

watch night services will be held in several of the churches and in many private houses in this city to-morrow

Charles Lawson and Joseph Hill, ne-Charles Lawson and Joseph Hill, ne-groes, were this morning sent to the Hustings Court to answer the charge of breaking into and robbing u car on the Atlantic Coast Line roud, in this city. Seven bags of Spanish peanuts were stolen, but were recovered by the police. William Harris, negro, who is charged with breaking and robbing cars on the Norfolk and Western Rail-way of a large quantity of Spanish way of a large quantity of Spanish peanuts, which he sold at market

In disorders and diseases of children drugs seldom do ood and often do harm. Careful feeding and bath-ing are the babies' remedies.

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WEATHER SEVERELY COLD

No Action Taken in Baxtet Shemwell Reprieve

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

RALDIGH, N. C., December 30.—The records in the State Department of Insurance show that during the year just closing there were twelve convictions secured in various sections of the State of persons guilty of arsonnearly all of them being fires in which the object was to get insurance fraudulently. Conditions are steadily improving all over the State in the matter of compliance with the State laws for the prevention of fires. A detailed report of the operations of the department in this connection is to be issued very soon.

Five new corporations were chartered to-day, Durham, Winston-Salem, Fayetteville and Vanceboro peing the respective headquarters. The corporations follow:

Barbee-Sharp Produce Company, Winston-Salem, capital \$100,000 authorized and \$1,000 subscribed, by C. W. Barbee, C. L. Sharp and Clement [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Winston-Salem, capital \$100,000 authorized and \$1,000 subscribed, by C. W. Barbee, C. L. Sharp and Clement Maanly.

The Durham Typewriter Exchange Company, capital \$25,000 authorized, and \$2,500 subscribed, by F. M. Dillon, J. E. Johnson and others.

The Cooper Lumber Company, Fayetteville, capital \$25,000, by W. J. Roberson, C. J. Cooper and others.

The Vancebore Supply Company, capital \$25,000, by B. R. Warren and others, for mercantile business.

The Thomas-White Company, Durham, changes its name to the Thomas-Howard Company.

Raleigh Experiences Severe Weather.

At 8 o'clock this merning the thermometer of the Weather Bureau here registered thirteen degrees above zero, the lowest since the terrible wave in the winter of 1899, when the mercury sank to two degrees above zero. Soon after 8 o'clock this morning the mercury went down to 124, and \$100. after 8 o'clock this morning the mer-cury went down to 12.4, and stood there some time until the effect of

after 8 o'clock this morning the meroury went down to 12.4, and stood there some time until the effect of the sun start... it up again, indicating that the temperature is really still failing here. No moderation of any consequence is expected here before Saturday afternoon.

H. S. Leard is expected here New Year's Day to take up his duties us division pasenger agent at Raleigh, this offce being created through the abolition of the positions of district passenger agents for Virginia and North Carolina, positions held by Mr. Leard at Richmond, and C. H. Gattis at Raleigh. Mr. Gattis going now to the Georgia and Florida Railroad as general passenger agent, headquarters at Augusta. Mr. Leard lived in Maleigh quite a while, and is very popular here.

Asked about the situation in the noted Baxter Shemwell case, Governor Kitchin said there is still not a word of protest or evidence flied with him on which he could act officially in any way regarding the reprieve of the priron sentence he recently granted. He remarked that able lawyers and others were interested in the prosecution of Shemwell that resulted in the five months' prison sentence, and not one of these, even, has ever in any way made a move in opposition to the reprieve. It could not be expected, he says, for him to take official notice of news reports and editorial comments. But that if there is real ground to warant such action, there should be definite action by somebody to bring the facts in the case to his attention in an official way.

The Sterling Mica Company, Franklin, Macon county, received a charter to-day, with \$100,000 capital authorized, and \$75,000 subscribed, by Charles F. Dreths and Fred Dreihs, of Cincinnati; C. R. Connor and others, for mining mica and minerals of any and all kinds. two years old and highly esteemed. She leaves her husband, three sons and three daughters.

Railway Promotion.

W. R. Beasley, an employ of the Norfolk and Western, has been promoted to the position of passenger and freight soliciting agent in this city, in place of Freeman W. Jones, promoted to the position of commercial agent of the company, with headquarters at Charlotte, N. C. The appointments are effective January I.

Vere Trout, the fifteen-year-old son of R. M. Trout, of Chesterfield county, accidentally shot himself in the foot yesterday while out hunting, and sustained a severe injury. He was brought to the Petersburg Hospital for treatment.

Miss Lilla Nunnally, daughter of Miss Alberta G. Sutton and Leo F. Short, both of this city, were married in Washington, D. C., yesterday, Yesterday afferowa at 2 o'clock, at the parsonage of Rev. J. E. Daniel, Miss Virginia Maude Pritchett and Miss Virginia Maude [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., December

ROCKINGHAM, N.C., December 30.—
The directors of the Rockingham Ratiway Company hold their first meeting
last night and elected J. P. Leak president. It is reasonably certain that
this company will build a railroad
from Rockingham to the Atlantic
Coast Line. The Seaboard Air Line
passes through the town, but a compacture line is desired.

The cause of the wreck is said to be what trainmen term a split switch,

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CHRISTMAS ANNOUNCEMENT



THE Company has allotted extraordinary BONUSES to its Industrial policy-holders payable in 1910. These are CASH BONUSES which may be used in payment of premiums upon their Industrial policies. They were not promised in the policies, either expressly or by implication, the policies being strictly non-participating. No such bonus has ever been given by any company to its policy-holders, and no such bonus ever will be given by any other company.

BONUSES TO LIVING POLICY-HOLDERS

To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy of the Company who shall pass the age of 75 during 1910, a bonus on its anniversary date thereafter equal to

To every holder of an Industrial policy in force issued in 1879 and 1880, a bonus

To every holder of an Industrial policy in force issued in 1881-2-3-4-5, a bonus on To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy in force issued in 1886-7-8-9-1890, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for......15 weeks

To every holder of an Industrial whole life policy in force issued in 1891-2-3-4-5, a bonus on its anniversary date equal to premiums for 10 weeks To every holder of an Industrial whole life or increasing life and endowment

These bonuses are thus for percentages varying from about TEN to ONE HUNDRED PER CENT. of the amount of weekly premiums for a year. It will be observed that the bonuses are graduated by the age of the policies.

The whole life policies issued between January 1, 1907, and July 1, 1909, have received a reversionary dividend of about ten per cent. of their face during the past year (that is, have been increased in amount about ten per cent). This cost the Company \$600,000 in 1909; and will cost many hundreds of thousands of dollars in subsequent years in increased Reserve. The whole life policies, issued since July 1, 1909, have been increased about ten per cent. in amount above the amount of insurance previously provided for the same respective premiums.

BONUSES ON DEATH CLAIMS

Death Claimants on whole life policies issued between January 1, 1907, and July 1, 1909, whose claims had been settled, have received in the last six months a payment of mortuary bonuses of about ten per cent. in addition to the amount previously received, at a cost to the Company of over \$250,000.

Payment on Death Claims in 1910 will be increased over and above the face of the Industrial policies by amounts determined by the following scale:

When death occurs after policy has been in force over	5 years 5%
When death occurs after policy has been in force over	10 years 10%
When death occurs after policy has been in force over	15 years 15%
When death occurs after policy has been in force over	20 years 20%
When death occurs after policy has been in force over	25 years 25%
When death occurs after policy has been in force over	30 years 30%

The cost to the Company of these CASH bonuses is estimated at

\$5,232,448.20

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 30,The final details in the arrangements

for the departure of the battleship

For Succeds Dulancy.

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 30.—
John A. Fox, of Arkansas, vice-president for that State of the National
Rivers and Harbors Congress and a
special director of that organization,
has been elected by the executive committee of the Southern Commercial
Congress as a director at large, to fill
the place of Benjamin L. Dulany, of
Washington, D. C., resigned.

Mason a Man of Means.

Added to the bonuses heretofore paid for the last sixteen years OVER AND ABOVE THE PROMISES MADE IN THE POLICIES, this will bring the total CASH bonuses up to

Twenty-one Millions of Dollars in CASH in 17 Years!

The Additional Cost of Concessions in Reserve Liability has been Four Millions of Dollars

The sources of these bonuses are:

Decrease in expenses—TEN PER CENT. in nine years to the close of 1908.

Saving in the Mortality which was expected when policies were issued.

Gains in Interest actually earned over the amount required by statute for accumulation of Reserves.

The fact that on a premium income of nearly \$50,000,000 a year the Stockholders receive only \$140,000, which is more than earned from the income of their own capital and surplus; the balance of such income going to the increase of the fund from which Bonuses are paid.

METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE CO.

JOHN R. HEGEMAN, President.

which had been left open when train
No. 22 passed through it, going east, a
few minutes before the wreek. The
rear end of the tender, which is on
its side, and the front end of the mail
car are on the trestle, and had the
engine turned over twenty feet farther
At present they will reside at 113
casson the treation of a minute sooner
cast or a fraction of a minute sooner
the world have realled down an embank.

The series to the decrement of Berry Hill, where their large family connections were gathered to do honor to the oecasson.

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In the Alps."

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The som in his " BURLINGTON, N. C. December 30.—

Westbound passenger train No. 139 was wrecked at the east entrance to the Burlington yards to-night at 7 o'clock, and that no one is even slightly injured as a result is nothing less than miraculous. Engine No. 1099, Ed. Piper, engineer, is juring on her side. A remarkable confidence is that the wreck occurred and three cars are on the ground. The track is torn up for some distance and a trestic across Mendenhall Street is demolished.

Two Deaths From White feather east or a fraction of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer Pipers in the east or a fraction of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer person were riding on the engine, and one of the engine law ing the seated on her side. A remarkable collection of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer Pipers on the engine, and had the east or a fraction of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer Pipers in service and that no one is even slightly ing on the engine, and one jumped ing on the engine, and one jumped ing on the engine, and had the east or a fraction of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer Pipers in service and that results are trained over twenty feet farther east or a fraction of a minute sooner it would have rolled down an embank-ment. Engineer Pipers were ride ing on the engine, and had the

Two Deaths From Pellagrs.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, VA., December 30.—Two deaths from pellagra within twentyfour hours is the record in Norfolk and vicinity this week. The victims were Miss Lucile Catharine Blamire, of Portsmouth, and Mrs. Alice L. Donohoe, wife of T. M. Donohoe, of Money Point. This makes four deaths so far in Norfolk from the new disease. Miss Blamire was well known and prominently connected in both cities, and died last night.

Struck by A. C. L. Train.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

SUFFOLK, VA., December 30.—

Charles E. Smith, of Suffolk, was struck by an Atlantic Coast Line train at Nurney siding to-day, as he was crossing the track. One leg was broken and other serious injuries were sustained. Smith is receiving surgical attention at his home here and is expected to recover.

Injured by Explosion of Waterback.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NORFOLK, Decomber 30.—T. J.

Lankford, residing at 818 Highland
Avenue, was severely injured about the
head and face, and his mother-in-law
slightly injured by the explosion or
a waterback in the kitchen range at
the residence. In the excitement following the explosion, Mrs. Langford,
in trying to rush down the stairs from
the second floor to the assistance of
the injured, fell and sprained her
ankle.

Ernul-Kinsey. Firml-Kinsey,
[Special to The Times-Disnatch,]
NEWBERN, N. C., December 30.—
County Treasurer Freeman S. Ernul
has gone to Jones county, where today he was united in marriage to Miss
Rose L. Kinsey. They will return to
Newbern and make their home here.

NORFOLK, VA., December 30.—A libel for \$30,000 salvage was to-day filed against the whaleback barge Badger, lost by the steamer Bay State, trom Boston to Newport News, and yes-terday towed into Hampton Roads by the Dutch steamer Saramacca, which picked her up at sea. The libel is filed by P. G. J. Canderest, master of the Saramacca.

for the departure of the battleship fleet for Guantanamo Bay, Cuba, have been completed by the Navy Department. The fleet will continue its battle maneuvres in Cuban waters until May I, when it will start north. Plans for the movement of the fleet during the summer have not been completed. The battleships Connecticut, Kansas Vermont, Minneapolis, New Hampshire, Nebraska, New Jersey, Rhode Island, Wisconsin and Missouri, now at New York City, will sail on January 6. The Idaho and the Mississippi, now at Philadelphia, will leave there on January 5, so as to join the vessels from New York off the Delaware capes. The Louislana. Georgia and Virginia will remain at the Norfolk, Va., navy yard until their repairs are completed, and they will then proceed to Guantanamo Bay. The main portion of the fleet should arrive at the winter drill grounds on January 11 or 12. Bumell-Ballard. Bumell—Ballard.

LOUISBURG, N. C., December 30.—
In the pariors of the Louisburg Female College on Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock, Laura B. Ballard was united in marriage to v....am Bumell, of Woodworth, N. C., Rev. J. N. Cole, of Raleigh, officiated, assisted by Rev. R. W. Bailey, of Louisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Bumell left immediate

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Mason a Man of Means. [Special ito The Traces Dispatch.]
NORIFOLK, VA. December 30.—William J. Mason is understood to be the sole member of the firm of Mason & Company, of this city, real estate dealer, with offices in the Lowenberg building. He came to Norfolk from For Norfolk some months ago, and is now a resident of Brambleton. Freviously he was largely connected with the brich manufacturing business, and is said to a man of means. He is about fifty years of age and was a widower.

AMUSEMENTS.

Academy of Music-"A Stubborn Cinlerelle."
Bijou-Cecil Spooner, in "The Little Terror."

Taylor—Connor,

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

NEWBERN, N. C., December 30,—

List night Charles E. Taylor, of this

may be some merit in his production, and there must be, judging from the enthusiastic applause which greeted the efforts of Mr. Wilson and his company, but I failed to discover it, save in the exceptional work of Richard Hattleship Fleet Will Soon Leave for Milloy, who is one of the few children Winter Drill Grounds.

Milloy, who is one of the rew child, of the stage whose performance does not arouse in one a feeling of pity and resentment.

To my mind, Mr. Wilson can neither sing nor act, but he packs the house, and what more could any one want?

W. D. G.

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